



SHINE BRIGHT ★ REACH FOR THE STARS

# Welcome to the Early Years Foundation Stage

# Buddies

Buddies are an important part of our induction process and throughout the whole reception year. Each child will be given a buddy during their first few weeks at school.

This year may be a little different and the children may need to meet their buddies at a distance. However they will still be a very important part of their first year of school.



Freddie and Izzy, two of our fabulous Year 6 pupils.





# How they've changed....







Any Questions about Buddies?

# The teachers...

- Mrs Crowley



- Mrs Serle



# The teaching assistants...

- Miss Noonan



- Mr Jackson



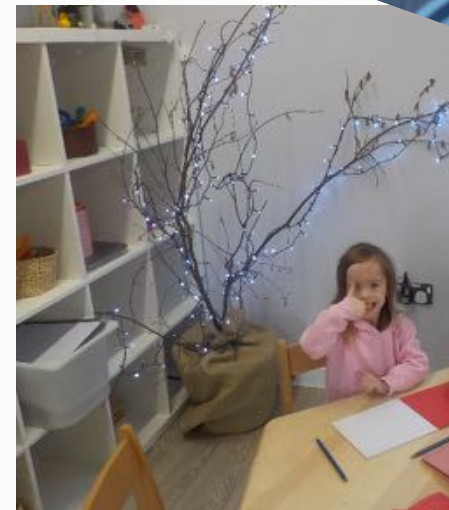
- Ms Watson





# EYFS – Class R 2021

Our fabulous new natural learning environment and provision.









# What will your child need?

All information can be found on our website. Click **parents** then **school uniform**.

- Girls



- Boys



Please remember to order a book bag.



# What should my child be able to do before they start school?

- ★ Use the toilet independently and wash their hands.
  - ★ Recognise their name and their belongings.
  - ★ Use a knife and fork to cut and eat their lunch.
  - ★ Put on and take off their coat.
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- ★ To help boost early reading and literacy skills, regularly reading stories to your child is vital and we would encourage you to do this as often as possible.



Any Questions?



# What will my child learn whilst they are in the reception class?

## The Early Years Foundation Stage Curriculum

7 areas of learning. (3 prime areas and 4 specific areas)

★ Personal, Social and emotional development

★ Communication and Language

★ Physical Development

★ Literacy

★ Mathematics

★ Understanding the World

★ Expressive Arts and design





- Seesaw is a home learning platform that we have been using with our current class.
- We would like to use it with all of you as part of our induction process this year.
- It enables us to share weekly phonics videos between home and school.
- In order to comply with GDPR an initial consent letter will be sent out to you in September. You only need reply if you DO NOT consent.
- Getting started is a really simple process; instructions on how to do this will be sent out alongside.



Any Questions?

# A day in the life of a reception child at AK.























# How and when

Dates	Sessions
Tuesday 29 <sup>th</sup> Jun	Group A 3.45pm – 4.15pm
Wednesday 30 <sup>th</sup> June	Group B 3.45pm – 4.15pm
July 8 <sup>th</sup> July	All children 3.45pm – 4.15pm (All parents welcome to stay for tea and coffee on the playground)



# From September...

	Dates	Sessions
Week 1	6 <sup>th</sup> – 10 <sup>th</sup> September	Group A Mornings 9.00 am – 12pm Group B Afternoons 1.30pm – 3.05pm
Week 2	13 <sup>th</sup> – 17 <sup>th</sup> September	Group B Mornings 9.00 am – 12pm Group A Afternoons 1.30pm – 3.05pm
Week 3	20 <sup>th</sup> September onwards	All children full time, 8.50 am – 3.15pm

This is a guide to our induction plan however changes are likely to be made based upon further guidance from our Local Authority. Groups and houses will sent to you shortly.





Any Questions?



★ All of this information and more can be found in our new parents information booklet.

★ This will shortly be accessed from our school website. [www.akps.org.uk](http://www.akps.org.uk)

Thank you for your time.  
We cannot WAIT to welcome you to the  
school.



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